

## LOCAL NEWS.

Pork 6 cents.  
Corn 25 cents.  
Lime at Pierce & Son.

A little child of Mrs. Styers is ill.  
A little boy of Dan Green is down with pneumonia.

Go to Freeman's to get your Christmas presents.

The cheapest, the best Xmas presents at Freeman's.

Oh how cheap them clocks is going at Hammond's.

Freeman will not be undersold, go and get his prices.

Baled hay for sale by Schwab for the cash and the cash only.

See our line of Pocket Knives, Scissors and Razors every blade warranted.

Pierce & Son.

Mr. J. C. Elder, jr., has completed a pretty little cottage residence in East Marion.

A splendid piano will be sold at H. T. Flannery's sale, Dec. 23. It is a good instrument.

See Henry Flannery, if you want a fine jersey milk cow. His cows will be sold at his sale Dec. 23.

Mrs. W. E. Potter and M. T. Worley went to Rosi Clare, Ill., Monday, to assist in the construction of a big spar mill.

Hammonds says he has thirteen nice Christmas presents and if you hurry up he will have twelve when you get there.

Coal Vases, Carvers, Silver Plated Knives, Forks and Spoons and a great many things suitable for Christmas presents at very low prices at Pierce & Son's.

R. P. Morris and W. D. Hurley are announced candidates for Sheriff in Livingston county, and Thos. Threlkeld wants to carry the keys of Livingston's prison.

B. F. McMican has returned to Marion. His venture in business at Princeton was not as profitable as he hoped for and he returns to Marion, where he always succeeds.

Vell, from I want you to shut get up Krismas my before you go to ped and go up to Hammond's and pony sum Krismas july it so hope you tont vont no tinner.

A daughter of Alex Stallions died Saturday at her home in the neighborhood of Tolu after a two-weeks' illness of typhoid fever. Her remains were interred Sunday in the burying ground at Hurricane church.

On yesterday evening at 6:30 at the residence of the bride's mother in the Dycusburg neighborhood, Miss Claudie Duall and Mr. W. W. Bennett were united in marriage, Squire Vosier officiating.

H. Imboden was in to procure licenses to wed the widow Florence Gregory Wednesday. While Mr. Imboden is only 32 years old, his last makes the third time he has been a principal in a wedding ceremony.

The cry of hard times has not denuded the stores of their gay holiday appearance. There are more holiday goods in Marion this year than usual. Every merchant has bought in this line and some have bought extensively.

Alex Jones has just completed a fine stock barn in the Union neighborhood. Notwithstanding the cry of hard times there has been more dwellings, barns and out houses generally built in this county this year than during any previous year.

Died in Micanopy, Fla., Dec. 12 little Willie V. Worley son of J. D. and E. B. Worley, after a long and lingering illness. He was born July the 26th 1892 and died Dec. the 12th 1893. Age 1 year 4 months and 16 days.

In the case of W. L. Bigham who came out of jail on a writ of habeas corpus, the county judge refused to interfere with the judgement of the police court, and Bigham appealed to the circuit court and is out of jail pending the decision of that court.

Tuesday morning the alarm of fire was raised in the Crider hardware store; and soon water was going to the roof and down the flue, and any possibility of a conflagration was averted. By some means the soot in the flue caught fire, and the immense volume of smoke, and the flying of the burning soot indicated trouble.

Tomorrow the election contest of Geo. W. Perry comes up before the board for adjudication so far as that board is concerned. The deposition of persons at Tolu, Ford's Ferry, Pine, and Dycusburg, were taken Tuesday. The result can not be anticipated from the depositions.

Mr. Daniel T. Woodall and Miss Henrietta Boaz were made man and wife in the county clerk's office Tuesday; Judge Moore tying the connubial knot in a happy style. The Judge is getting to be a popular hand at such affairs. His price is moderate, and when the parties prefer he will kiss the bride in lieu of a money consideration.

There will be a big masque ball at Smithland, Dec. 27.

**FORD-JAMES.**—One of the surprises in Marion's social circle, was the marriage of Miss Flora James and Prof. Lyman H. Ford, of Owatanna, Minn., at the residence of the bride's father, Hon. L. H. James, of this place, Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock Dec. 19; Rev. J. V. Guthrie, of the Methodist church officiating. Only the relatives and few intimate friends witnessed the happy affair. An elegant collation was served, and after the many congratulations, Mr. and Mrs. Ford left for Columbus, Ohio, to visit his relatives. After a short stay there they will go to his present home in Minnesota.

Miss Flora is one of Marion's real popular girls, of an amiable disposition, highly cultured, she numbered her friends by the score. While in the Woolvine College at Nashville the young people formed an acquaintance which grew into a strong attachment and now unites them for life. Prof. Ford is principal of the school in his city and his attainments as an educator are highly appreciated.

Foster Threlkeld has the thanks of this office for a relic in the shape of a pair of ancient hand-cuffs. They were found in the rubbish of an old house years ago occupied by the notorious Jas. Ford, and were probably at one time his property; if the tales told of his cruelty to slaves, are true or the stories of crime connected with his name correct, the old rusty bracelets could many a tale unfold. The connection between the two bracelets is made of an old fashion home welded trace chain, while the bands intended for the wrist the appearance of having been forged by a rough smith.

Mr. W. H. Bigham has left at the Puss office a few ears of very fine seed corn. It is a new variety, and Mr. B. thinks a very superior one. The cob is very small, the grain very large, and compactly attached to the cob. He has a lot of it for sale as seed corn.

Prof. C. J. Norwood, State Inspector of Mines, was in Marion Tuesday. He recently had inquiries concerning floor spar and is in search of such information as is obtainable concerning the mines of this county. He went from here to Rosi Clare, Ill., but may return to visit some of the latent mines of this county shortly.

There appears to be a growing demand for this spar, and the comparatively small quantity which has been sent from this county to the marts has proven to be satisfactory to the persons who use. The serious impediment to the successful mining of it, is the remoteness of the mines from rail or river.

Mr. P. E. Rowlett, of New Concord took all his friends in Calloway on surprise by getting married two weeks ago and not letting any one know of the happy event. On Tuesday evening, November 14, he was happily wedded to Miss Nannie B. Rupard, of near Winchester, Ky. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Frank Cheek, of Paris, Ky., in the sign language. These young people were school mates in the Danville deaf and dumb institute some years ago, and this union is but the result of their stay at that place.—Murry Ledger.

Let us hope, pray and prophecy that the new board of trustees and the new marshal will stand by the laws of the town, exercise good judgement on all improvements and command back bone enough to face the music on any and all occasions. If they will keep the streets clean and in shape, give us good side walks on every street, and see that all violations of the law are punished, grumbling about tax and other matters connected with city government will cease.

Mrs. Butler, widow of the late C. W. Butler, died at her home in the southern part of town Saturday morning, after a protracted illness. The remains were taken to the cemetery here for burial, Rev. J. V. Guthrie conducting the funeral services. The deceased was a good, christian woman a member of the Methodist church. Two of her children, Charlie and Nellie, are very ill of typhoid fever and are not expected to recover.

A number of persons went from here to Henderson Friday evening to Dr. T. DeWitt Talmage lecture. All expressed themselves as being greatly pleased and benefited by going. The subject of the discourse of the celebrated Brooklyn divine was "The Bright Side of The Things of Life."

Mr. T. J. Yeats, of Dycusburg, was in town Tuesday. He reports a great deal of sickness in his section. Among those who have been very ill Mr. S. H. Cassidy, for two weeks he has been confined to his bed.

Surveyor Towery was engaged yesterday in running a line for A. H. Cardin and others. The line was originally run in 1783, and one of the marks made on an oak tree is now plainly visible.

Freeman has the largest and most assorted stock of watches, jewelry and silverware that was ever brought to Crittenden county.

Mr. Ira Nunn, Bell Mines, was in town Saturday inquiring for a farm or sale. He has sold out and wants to buy.

John Foster was yesterday declared a pauper, and arrangements made to transport him to the poor house.

## THAT LITTLE HATCHET.

**Melvin Roberts is Not Held Responsible for Using It On His Father.**

Friday the examining trial of the boy, Melvin Roberts, for assaulting his father with a hatchet, was before County Judge Moore. The guilt of the young man was established beyond question, as the father not only told the story substantially as stated in the Press last week, but produced his bruised head to speak for itself; and showed unmistakable signs of ill treatment. Melvin, Washington like, did not deny treating his father's head somewhat like the father of his country, when a boy, treated the famous cherry tree.

Mr. Roberts, however, stated that the boy's mind was not properly balanced, that really he was crazy at times, and it was during one of these spells, when not responsible for his action, the boy made the onslaught with the hatchet. After hearing the testimony the court discharged the accused on the grounds of insanity.

Let us hope that if another irrational time comes to Melvin, and he starts out with his hatchet again, that he will have to punch heads to appease the evil spirit in him.

## USED HIS POP.

**Not to Hurt But to Only Scare.**

Saturday Dan Matthews came to town accused himself of a breach of the peace having Judge Moore to put him under bond for trial today. According to his statement he and Wash Moore met in battle array, over certain differences; words lead to a clinch and after remaining in each others arms, biting and scratching, Dan pulled away and retreated, while Moore charged with a whistle fire, poised for battle; whereupon Dan planted his batteries and turned loose promiscuously; a running fire was kept up for some time, when hostilities ceased, and the belligerents retired from the field to hunt the office. Squire Myers fined Moore \$2 and trimmings.

## Barn Meeting.

Hampton, Ky., Dec. 11, 1893.

Ed. Press:—Please announce in your paper that Revs. J. W. Bigham, and Dr. Rhinehart will hold a big barn meeting at Hampton, Ky., beginning Saturday night, Dec. 23, and closing Jan. 2.

Respy,  
E. M. Gibbons.

## Wedded in Texas.

On the 14th Mr. Henry Dean, a native of this county, was, at Waco, Texas, the bride's home, united in marriage with Miss Belle Neal. The cards say "at home, after January 10th, at Austin."

## Deeds Recorded.

M. A. and J. A. Moore to W. G. Carnahan, 65 acres for \$475.15.  
Geo. H. Kirk to Charlie Cook, 2 acres for \$30.

A. D. McFee to E. E. Thurman, 62 acres for \$1000.  
J. W. Bettis to J. W. Bealmear, 22 1/2 acres for \$110.

L. C. Clark to D. G. Bettis 4 1/2 acres for \$85.00.

## Marriage Licenses.

Alx Myers and Miss Vadie Shaffer, J. W. Morgan and May Taber, Geo W. Crowell and Miss Belle Litchfield.

John H. Toash and Miss Henrie E. Brantley.

Chester W. Conyer and Miss Lou Dora Riley.

Daniel T. Woodall and Miss Henrietta Boaz.

Lyman H. Ford and Miss Flora A. James.

Geo R Little and Miss Lizzie Towery.

H. Imboden and Florence Gregory.

Wm. W. Bennett and Miss James Claudie Davall.

## County Court.

L. J. Milikan, minister of the Baptist church, authorized to solemnize the rites of matrimony.

Harvey Marvel, Birdine Ashley, L. D. Travis, Logan Mormon, A. E. Tudor and R. C. Phillips road hands on road No 72 are transferred to road No. 184.

W. J. Hodges allowed \$3.00 plow and team on road.

Joe Hardin allowed \$1.50 plow and team on road.

A. S. Hard qualified as administrator of Thos. Smith.

The Madisonville Hustler wants blood-hounds and whipping post for petty thieves. The Hustler is right as to the latter. This county has had such a law for some years.

## The First Crop Sold.

Mr. J. M. McDowell, of Shady Grove, sold his crop of tobacco last week for \$5.00 per hundred pounds, to be delivered to Robt Vinson in Caldwell county. This is the first sale reported in this county this season.

Freeman is selling his Xmas goods for less profit than any one in town.

## WHISKY.

Pure sour mash whisky \$ 2.00 per gallon.

F. E. Robertson & Co.,  
Marion, Ky.

## HOLINESS.

**A Second Work of Grace, Distinct From Regeneration.**

The Kentucky Holiness Association convened at the Methodist church Tuesday, as had been previously announced. Three services a day, in the morning, afternoon and evening, have been held to good congregations. The evening services especially have been well attended and a great deal of interest has been manifested. Some of the ablest ministers of the Louisville conference are in attendance and the doctrine of christian holiness or sanctification has been earnestly and ably advocated. Song, prayer, testimony and Scriptural instructions form an interesting part of the exercise.

The object of the Association is to get sinners converted, believers sanctified and to establish and build up the cause of God. The members present are earnest and active in the battle against sin. The meetings will continue to be held as heretofore until next Tuesday and a still greater attendance is expected.

The following official members are in attendance:  
Rev. John S. Keen, Highway, Ky., President; Rev. B. A. Cundiff, McDaniels, Vice President; Rev. L. M. Russell, Glasgow, Secretary.

Quite a number of other delegates are in attendance. We have, however, been unable to get a full list of their names and addresses. The following is a partial list:

Revs. W. E. Ramsey, Robt. Johnson, T. H. Stephens, J. G. Haynes, John Wilson Jr., J. C. Gouch, M. F. Denton, G. R. Pierce, H. W. Bunton, L. T. Martin and W. F. Hogard.

This is only an incomplete list of those attending from other counties. A large number from different parts of this county are also visitors.

The following is a synopsis of a sermon preached Wednesday morning by Rev. Robert Johnson.

"To the end that he may establish your hearts unshakable in holiness before God."—1. Ther. III-13.

This is a holiness text. It was addressed to the Thessalonian brethren that their hearts might be established in holiness before God. This church at Thessalonica was prepared to receive and except this blessed experience of holiness or sanctification. These were converted church members. They had received pardon for their sins and had gone to work for the Lord. But they were not perfected in love so Paul told them that he could no longer forbear coming to them and directing their way to a higher state of grace, which is the second blessing, or sanctification.

It is the privilege of all christians to enjoy this blessing. But it is not received in conversion. When a man repents and is converted all of his sins are removed, his transgressions are pardoned and he is a child of God. God throws the divine light into his soul and he is made to rejoice in a Savior's love. He loves God and his soul is made happy. He loves Him supremely. But yet he does not love God with all his heart. An unsanctified man or woman cannot do this. Yet the Bible says we shall do it. It is our duty. "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy mind and with all thy soul and all thy strength and thy neighbor as thyself." This is perfect love, and to stop short of it is not doing our duty. O that we all might be established unshakable before God.

Again sanctification does not come at death as it is sometimes taught. Death is the result of sin. It was brought on the human family by sin and cannot, therefore, remove sin. If death could remove sin, sinners as well as christians, would become sanctified at death.

Again this experience of entire sanctification is not received at the resurrection. Some say, "Oh, I know we can't be sanctified while we live here, nor at death, but at the resurrection. This is a wrong view, my friends. If God at that great day will forgive sin, why not forgive all sin and sanctify the sinner as well as the christian?"

Now let us consider who is fitted to receive this second blessing. The sinner does not need it. He needs conversion, pardon for his transgressions. The backslider does not need it. He needs reclaiming and bring back. The cold and lukewarm christian does not need it. He needs a rekindling of God's love in his heart and a deeper work of conversion. A dead church is not prepared for it. There is no use to preach holiness to a dead church. It needs to be preached to a live church, one that has faith in God's promises and works for his glory such a church as the apostle Paul addressed the language of my text.

In order to come in possession of this blessed experience one must feel a need of it. There must be a "hungering and thirsting after righteousness." When this is the case, and he have faith in God to believe that he will give it to him now, the work is done, he feels that all inbred sin is taken from him and the flood gates of God's love takes possession of his soul. He knows it is a second work of grace distinct from regeneration, that it was obtained by faith and instantaneously. He knows it is no theory, no dream, but a glorious experience. His life is hid with Christ, he is under the blood

and he is made perfect in love. He is ready and willing and anxious to work to save others.

Thank God for this full salvation, this blessed, glorious experience. O that all who are hungering and thirsting after righteousness would embrace these opportunities." To the end that you might establish your hearts unshakable in holiness before God.

Rev. B. A. Cundiff, Vice President of the Kentucky Holiness now in session here, was on this circuit eighteen years ago, and has many friends and admirers. He is one of the leaders in the holiness movement, as well as one of the ministers of the Louisville conference. His sermons are scriptural, logical and convincing.

Rev. E. Rhinehart, who was expected at the meeting of the Association to conduct the singing, was prevented by a severe cold and hoarseness. As soon as he is able he will go to Livingston county to assist Rev. Mr. Gibbon in a meeting at Hampton.

The citizens of our town are opening their doors and handsomely entertaining the delegates to the holiness convention. All who attend have been assigned homes and there is still room for others.

## The Cyclone Washer.

One of the new enterprises of Marion is the Cyclone Washer Company. The company is composed of C. J. Pierce, Thos. Cochran and W. D. Baird, and it is organized for manufacturing and selling the wonderful little washing machine that bears the name of the company. Numbers of these machines are being made and by the first of the year, the company hopes to have several men in the field. That the machine has merit is without doubt; hundreds of people have inspected it, watched it work and it is pronounced a great success. Its inexpensiveness, and simplicity makes it an article that every man can afford, especially when it so lessens the burden of the wife who has to toil over the wash board. Every house keeper in county should give this machine a thorough inspection.

## The Janes.

It transpires that Rev. Roberts who was struck with a hatchet by his son Melvin, has three boys by that name; he has been married three times, and as a fruit of the marriage a son was born to each wife and each was duly named Melvin. This calls to mind the fact that Mr. Peter Fritts, who died some years ago in this county, had four daughters and he named them Mary Jane, Betsy Jane, Sarah Jane and Jane.

## OUR ADVERTISERS.

We take pleasure in calling attention to those merchants who make a large demand upon our advertising columns this week.

**M. SCHWAB**  
The reliable groceryman is abundantly supplied with seasonable goods. His name is a household word in this section; he sells goods to almost everybody and it's mighty few people who come to Marion that is not acquainted with this ever moving, ever pushing merchant. Be sure to see him.

**WELDON & SON**

Is another grocery firm that is growing in popularity. There are no better men in the country than these two Weldon's. They carry a big stock, and now the house is crowded to overflowing with holiday goods.

**THOMAS BROS.**

Are young men just making their bow to the public as business men. They are thoroughly trustworthy, and deserving. They have taken special pains in buying holiday goods and are anxious to show the public what they can do.

**MOORE BROS.**

Dave and John, occupy the brick formerly occupied by Mrs. Wolff, and they have a clean new stock of goods, and will have a liberal share of the holiday trade. Nobody will offer better bargains than they.

**H. K. WOODS.**

Who is it that does not know Henry Woods and his business? It is a superfluous to write about him, so well he is known and so universally appreciated. In your search for holiday goods, do not buy until you call at his store; it is filled with goods, and his stock is always up to the highest standard.

**PIERCE, YANDELL, GUGENHEIM CO.**

The readers of the Press are familiar with these names: The firm is a strong one in all respects, and it does an immense business which is the strongest evidence that it does business to suit the people. The growing popularity of the house is remarked by everybody. Each member of the firm is a man of strict integrity, fine business qualities and years of experience and business intercourse with the people of Crittenden have made each scores of friends.

**S. D. HODGE & CO.**

This firm is composed of original Marion people, Robt Bigham and "Twinkle" Hodge. The latter has charge of the business, and a better young man never did business in Marion. The better he is known the more he is liked. His business has

grown steadily since he embarked, and he is well pleased with his surroundings. He carries a big stock of goods, and the stock is of a good grade. He is a reliable young man.

**MOORE & ORME.**

This firm's drug store is a thing of beauty, and there are no better people to trade with in Marion or any other town. Both members of the firm are popular young men; they deserve and have confidence of the people. Their advertisement tells what they have in the way of holiday goods. You can always depend on what they say.

**W. M. FREEMAN**

The Jeweler always has a big stock of holiday goods. This year he has bought more than ever, and to see his goods is to admire them. He takes pride in his business, and the public will find him reliable. Do not fail to call on him.

**J. H. MORSE.**

A man full of energy and nerve is John Morse, and he sells goods too. He is a success as a merchant and his customers all testify to his honest business ways. He carries a big stock of goods, and has the reputation of selling at a very close margin. He is popular as a merchant as well as a man, and is accounted one of the solid business men of Marion.

**G. G. HAMMOND**

Is a reliable jeweler. He has bought some especially pretty goods for the holiday trade, and when it comes to prices, he can always be found at the lowest possible notch. If he tells you an article is all right, it is that way.

**R. F. HAYNES JR.**

Has but recently entered the field as a Marion merchant. He is an old Marion boy, and begins business with a large acquaintance. He has energy and enterprise and will doubtless get his share of public favors. He has a big stock of goods, is an experienced business man and hopes by correct business methods, close prices and fair treatment to win.

**OSMENT & HOLDERMAN**

Is a Cave-in-Rock firm, and they are reaching out for Kentucky trade, and according to reports their efforts are not in vain. They carry a big stock and a great variety of goods; they are business all over, know how and treat their customers right. They have the reputation of selling at mighty low prices. The firm is all right and you can safely rely upon what it says.

**WHISKY.**

Pure sour mash whisky \$2.00 per gallon. F. E. Robertson & Co.,  
Marion, Ky.

**THE BUTCHER TALKS.**

Those owing me for meat for their families will please call and settle. I need the money and need it badly. I am glad that I had your trade and I hope you will appreciate my kindness in waiting on you for the money, now that I need the money, and need it badly. I hope you will remember me. This is not for your neighbor, but for you to read; don't read and forget; but come and settle up. I am not a rich man and cannot live without those who buy, pay for their meat. Do not delay this matter. It means something to me. J. W. Givens.

# MOORE AND ORME.

## The Main Street Druggists,

(NEXT DOOR TO MARION BANK.)

### HEADQUARTERS FOR THE

## Handsome Holiday Goods in Town.

QUALITY and not Quantity, is the firms motto.

They took pains to select THE BEST OF EVERYTHING embracing suitable presents for everybody.

What ever You Want, you will Find at Their Store.

Books, for the children; Family and Teachers' Bibles, Work Boxes, Toilet Sets, Dressers, Jewelers Boxes, Writing Desks, Lap Tables, Shaving Sets, Handkerchief Holders and Xmas Card.

The PRETTIEST and CHEAPEST Photo. and Auto. Albums.

### TOILET BOXES, For The Ladies.

### SILVER SACHETT BOXES, For the Girls.

### DOLLS: BIG DOLLS FOR LITTLE GIRLS.

### HOUSEKEEPER:

Send to us if you want the Pure Tripple Extracts for the Co k Room. They are the best made, and during the holidays and all times hereafter that we fill prescriptions with the Purest and Freshest Drugs obtainable, and we charge the lowest prices.

## COME AND SEE US, MOORE & ORME.